IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Gill et al.

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BUCKP007 / B1-339

Application No.: 10/530,091

Examiner: Paul C. Martin

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Group: 1657

Title: AUTOMATED METHOD FOR HIGH

THROUGHTOUT SCREENING OF

NEMATODES

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO MAINTAIN PARENT CASE WHICH IS TO BE ABANDONED WHEN FILING NEW APPLICATION CLAIMING ITS BENEFIT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 26, 2007, Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

<u>Months</u>	Large Entity	Small Entity
one	\$120.00	\$60.00
two	\$460.00	\$230.00
three	\$1,050.00	\$525.00
four	\$1,640.00	\$820.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Account No. BUCKP007).

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